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**For: TEMPERATURE SENSING DEVICE FOR SELECTIVELY  
MEASURING TEMPERATURE AT DESIRED LOCATIONS  
ALONG AN INTRAVENOUS FLUID LINE**

Enclosed are:

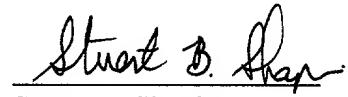
New Patent Application including:  
Thirty-eight (38) pages of Specification; and  
Seven (7) sheets of Drawings.



Applicant is entitled to Small Entity Status.

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